## Arizona State Nutrition Action Plan (AzSNAP) Navajo Nation WIC Monthly Group Education Table

MONTH and NATIONAL THEMES	GROUP NUTRITION EDUCATION TOPICS FOR FY2005	LESSON PLAN/ ACTIVITIES ASSIGNED TO
OCTOBER  Child and Family Health Month Healthy Lung Month	General Topic: "Folic Acid Builds the Blood & Brain" & PSA Child Oriented Group Education Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic Breastfeeding "Getting Started" 3 <sup>rd</sup> trimester Pregnant Women	Pauletta
NOVEMBER  National Diabetes Awareness Month Child Safety and Protection Month National Children's Book Month	General Topic: "Fruits & Vegetables – Purchasing Points" Child Session Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic	Leota
DECEMBER  National Drunk & Drug Prevention Month Safe Toys and Gifts Month	General Topic: "Healthy Habits for Healthy Families" Child Oriented Group Education Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic Breastfeeding "Getting Started" 3 <sup>rd</sup> trimester Pregnant Women	Evie
JANUARY  National Birth Defects Prevention Month National Soup Month	General Topic: "Moove to 1% Milk" Child Session: "Moove to 1% Milk" Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic	Mary
FEBRUARY  National Children's Dental Health Month Safe Heart Month	General Topic: "Cooking with Beans" Child Session: "Cooking with Beans" Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic Breastfeeding "Getting Started" 3 <sup>rd</sup> trimester Pregnant Women	Bessie
MARCH National Nutrition Month	General Topic: "Get a Taste for Nutrition" Child Session: "Get a Taste for Nutrition with Hungry Catepiller" Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic Breastfeeding "Getting Started" 3 <sup>rd</sup> trimester Pregnant Women	Doris
APRIL  National Child Abuse Prevention Month Month of the Young Child	General Topic: "Family Meals: East Better/Eat Together" Child Session: "Kids can Help in the Kitchen" Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic Breastfeeding "Getting Started" 3 <sup>rd</sup> trimester Pregnant Women	Mary
MAY  National Physical Fitness Month National Salad Month	General Topic: "National Physical Fitness Month" Child Session: "Eat Well Play Hard" Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic	Donna

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JUNE National Dairy Month	General Topic: "Yaiishjaashchili (Planting of Early Crops)" Child Session: "Fruits & Vegetables Are Many Different Sizes, Shapes & Colors	Veronica	
National Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Month	Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic Breastfeeding "Getting Started" 3 <sup>rd</sup> trimester Pregnant Women		
JULY	General Topic: "Fruits & Vegetables – Strive for Five" Child Session: "Five A Day"	Jolene	
National Picnic Month	Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic		
AUGUST	General Topic: "Breastfeeding and Family Foods: Loving & Healthy"	Roberta	
World Breastfeeding Week and	Child Session		
NNWIC Breastfeeding Promotion Month	Risk Specific Topic Prenatal Topic		
	Breastfeeding "Getting Started" 3 <sup>rd</sup> trimester Pregnant Women		
SEPTEMBER	General Topic: "Making Snacks Count" Child Session	Sophia	
National Five-A-Day Awareness Week	Risk Specific Topic		
National Breakfast Month	Prenatal Topic		
General Topic:			
High Weight/Height – Children and/or Wo	omen		

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High Weight/Height – Children and/or Women	
Classes for Children – 1 or more x month	
Rotate:	
Prenatal Topics/Infant Feeding	
Breastfeeding – 3 <sup>rd</sup> trimester	
Other Topics as Needed	

SUGGESTED GROUP SESSION TOPICS FOR EACH MONTH

Other Ideas:

Incorporate Native Foods

Have nutrition topics presented by guest speakers – EFNEP, Commodity Food Demonstration, Diabetes Program, etc.